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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of Inventor(s):

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For: **Method and Apparatus for Reporting Unauthorized Attempts to Access Nodes in a Network Computing System**

Enclosed are also:

- ☒ 32 Pages of Specification including an Abstract
- ☒ 6 Pages of Claims
- ☒ 8 Sheet(s) of Drawings
- ☒ A Declaration and Power of Attorney (2 Declarations)
- ☒ Form PTO 1595 and assignment of the invention to IBM Corporation

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FOR	Number Filed		Number Extra		Rate		Basic Fee (\$710)
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